

The Daily Courant.

Tuesday September 14 1703

From the Leiden Gazette, dated Sept. 13.

Warsaw, August 25.

THE Affairs of this Kingdom are in great Disorder, and there is little likelihood of Peace. The last Courier which Mr. Robinson the English Envoy sent to the King of Sweden in his Camp before Thorn, return'd t'other day with this Answer, ' That his Majesty expected to receive the Proposals which the Deputies of the Republick had to make to him in Writing, as he had before signified to the Cardinal Primate and the said Deputies. And that he would explain himself more largely, provided the said Proposals were conformable to the following Project which had been transmitted to him by the Foreign Ministers. viz. 1. That the Republick of Poland to facilitate the Peace, should not demand of the King of Sweden any Amends or Satisfaction for the great Losses she has sustain'd since the Entrance of the Swedes into the Kingdom, as well by the Contributions they have exacted as otherwise. 2. That the Republick should take upon her to be a Guarantee, that her King shall for the future maintain the Treaties that shall be made; and shall commit no Hostilities against the Crown of Sweden, nor against any other neighbouring Potentate. 3. That in Case the King of Poland should begin a War on Sweden, the Republick shall not only oppose it, but joyn with the Swedes against him. 4. And that all those Persons whom his Swedish Majesty shall nominate, should be reestablish'd in the quiet Possession of their Estates and Dignities. The Foreign Ministers have demanded of the King of Sweden, that some of them might be allow'd to attend his Majesty in his Camp, and to follow him wherever he shall lead his Army, to the end they might the more opportunely employ their good Offices in forwarding the Peace; but his Majesty has not yet return'd them any Answer. Some Deputies from Great Poland arriv'd here lately, who having had Audience of the Cardinal Primate, declar'd to him, that the lesser Diets of their Country having come to no Resolutions before they broke up, their Principals had been oblig'd to enter into an Association according to the Example of their Predecessors; notwithstanding which they are determin'd to continue inviolably firm to the King and the Republick, provided they are maintain'd in all their Privileges. On the 20th the King came to this City from Ocfoc; and is now at Viazdow, where his Majesty intends to hold a great Council of War; from the Resolutions of which Council we shall be able to gather whether the Lithuanian and Saxon Troops, which have made a halt in the Palatinat of Rava, will march to fight General Reenschild, who being entred lately into Great Poland with several thousand Swedes, exacts heavy Contributions, and Ravages the Lands of such of the Nobility as have not declar'd themselves to be in the Interest of the King his Master.

From the Hague Gazette, dated Sept. 13.

Dantzick, Sept. 1. The Negotiation between our Magistrates and Count Steinbock is interrupted by

his Departure from hence. We have Advice that the Garrison of Thorn has made a vigorous Sally, in which they had the better of the Swedes. Some Persons arriv'd from Graudents tell us, that the Swedes have made no Lines of Circumvallation about Thorn; they add, that 40 wounded Swedes were brought to Graudents; that the Vanguard of the Troops that landed in our Neighbourhood is arriv'd near Graudents; and that the Artillery was embark'd at Meeuwissen to be carried up the Vistula. Our Deputies who went to the King of Sweden in his Camp, to desire the Demands of Count Steinbock might be moderated, are return'd without having obtain'd any thing. The Marquess de Bonac, who is at Oliva, or as others say, in this City, gives out that Monsieur de Pointi is to come hither with 16 Men of War.

From the Leiden Gazette, dated Sept. 18.

Warsaw, Sept. 1. The King is still at Viadzow; and we hear that at the instance of some Persons of Quality his Majesty has deferr'd for a few Weeks the disposing of the Estates and Offices of the Sapiehae, in expectation that before that time is expir'd they will return to their Duty. Yesterday we had Advice, that the Lithuanian and Saxon Army was advanc'd into Great Poland to oppose General Reenschild who with 4 or 5000 Men continues to ravage that Country; and some Letters tell us, that a Detachment of that Army of about 1200 Men, has defeated a Party of 600 Swedes, killing 370 on the Place, besides what they wounded or took Prisoners. To day the Cardinal Primate and the Commissioners of the Republick sent to the King of Sweden the Proposals of Peace on the part of the Republick.

From the Amsterdam Courant, dated Sept. 18.

Hamburg, Sept. 14. Some Letters from Dantzick mention, that General Reenschild on one side, and the King of Sweden on the other, have fallen upon the Under Field Marshal of the Lithuanian Troops, and cut off several Thousands of his Men. But this requires Confirmation.

Dantzick, Sept. 8. On the 10th the Swedes will begin to attack Thorn. There has been an Action between a Party of Lithuanians led by Oginski and a Detachment of Swedes, in which about 400 of the latter were kill'd and 50 taken, among them Lieutenant Collonel Funk.

Falmouth, Sept. 9. Yesterday sail'd Her Majesty's Ships the Dolphin and Hastings to the Westward, having under their Convoy about 100 Sail of Ships for Milford and Bristol.

Plymouth, Sept. 10. On the 8th instant came in Her Majesty's Ship the Leopard from Cruising on the French Coast. This day came in the Foy Man of War from Spithead, who is come hither to get ready what Ships are bound to Virginia.

Falmouth, Sept. 10. Here continues Her Majesty's Ship the Swallow, being now order'd Convoy for the Fishery, our Coast being much infested by Privateers, who have lately taken some Dutch Doggers and 2 Fishing Shallops belonging to Lastoff, and the last

last night took 3 Dutch Buffes, some of the Men belonging to them being here on Shore.

Sheilds, Sept. 10. On the 7th sail'd our laden Fleet consisting of about 100 Sail; under Convoy of 2 Men of War; the light Fleet that had lain so long in Yarmouth Roads, with 2 Men of War for their Convoy, is arriv'd here.

Cowes, Sept. 11. The outward bound Virginia Fleet which was in this Road, is put back to Spithead.

Harwich, Sept. 11. Yesterday Morning arriv'd Her Majesty's Ships the Rochester, Solebay and Marling Sloop, the former brought in with her 2 Prizes, viz. the Five Kings of Ostend of 5 Guns, and the Swallow Sloop of 6 Guns, the latter sail'd formerly from this place as a Pacquet Boat, and was taken some time since upon the Coast of Holland and carried to Ostend; they had on board in both Privateers above 80 Men.

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